Center for Gifted Young Musicians - Participation Policies

All Center for Gifted Young Musicians (CGYM) students and their parents/guardians will be required to e-sign an agreement that states, in summary, the following expectations and participation policies.

1. All CGYM participants understand the schedule of each orchestra and associated chamber music complement and that only through regular, on time attendance can the program be successful for all students.

2. All CGYM participants are allowed up to three excused absences per school year, with a maximum of two in a single semester.
   a. A completed absence form must be submitted online no less than one week before the scheduled absence to be considered excused.
   b. Extended sickness and last-minute emergency absences must be followed-up with proper documentation, e.g., a doctor or parent note, upon return to rehearsal.

3. Excessive unexcused absences and/or chronic tardiness will result in disciplinary action including loss of orchestral seating position and chamber music placement. Extenuating circumstances must be discussed with the Director.

4. All members of CGYM are required to participate in all performances, and corresponding dress rehearsals, for which their ensemble(s) are scheduled to participate.

The planned schedule for the season can be found on the website (boyer.temple.edu/musicprep)